

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION**

SYNTHES SPINE COMPANY, L.P.,

Plaintiff,

v.

**POTENTIAL MEDICAL SERVICES
I, LLC, et al.**

Defendant.

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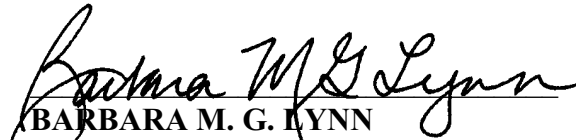
Civil Action No. 3:07-CV-162-M (BH)

**ORDER ACCEPTING FINDINGS, CONCLUSIONS, & RECOMMENDATION
OF THE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE AND JUDGMENT
AWARDING FEES AND COSTS**

The Court has under consideration the Findings, Conclusions, & Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge on *Plaintiff Synthes Spine Company, L.P. 's Petition for Attorneys' Fees, Costs, and Interest*, filed April 11, 2008. No objections were filed. The District Court reviewed the proposed Findings, Conclusions, & Recommendation for plain error. Finding none, the Court accepts the Findings, Conclusions, & Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge.

Plaintiff Synthes Spine Company, L.P. 's Petition for Attorneys' Fees, Costs, and Interest, filed April 11, 2008, is hereby GRANTED in part. The amount of awarded attorney's fees is \$562,788.24. The amount of awarded costs is \$175,561.60. The total awarded for attorney's fees and costs is \$756,634.84. Additionally, Synthes receives an award of post-judgment interest in the amount of \$41.85 per day against all Defendants and an additional \$7.48 per day against Harless only from April 12, 2008, and continuing until the award is satisfied.

SIGNED this 26th day of September, 2008.


BARBARA M. G. LYNN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS